The Good Times

Member Western Pa. Ski Council Http://www.johnstownskiclub.com November 2021





President's Message...

Greetings,

It's party time!!

Two great crowd favorites are coming this month and next.

The annual 43rd (*yes, we have been around that long*) **Kickoff Party (Nov 13)** needs no introduction. The club members have always responded to this great event. Thank you all for reserving your spot. Hope you enjoy the party!

Our club **Christmas party** (**Dec 9**) will be held next month at Anthony's. This is always a nice time to be with our club family to celebrate the holiday season.

Due to the increased cost of providing this event to our members, we will be asking a **\$10.00pp charge** to offset the costs. Tickets for the **Christmas Party** will be available for purchase from **November 14th** to on or before **Wednesday, December 1st**. Please call Annette Kamzik at 814.536.7325 to register (check out page 3) All checks need to be sent to GJASC. P.O Box 937. Johnstown, Pa 15907. See page 3 for more info. Thank you for you cooperation.



43th Annual Kick-Off Party at Ace's Saturday, November 13, at 6pm

It is time to begin another ski season by celebrating the **43rd anniversary of our Annual Johnstown Ski Club Kick-Off Party!** Spread the word, <u>invite your friends and relatives to join our club</u>, and join us on **Saturday**, **November 13 at 6pm at Ace's. Your \$30 annual 2021-22 membership fee serves as your admission to the party**. This will include food, basket raffles, ski ticket discounts and music by Desperadoes. Cash bar. <u>No walk-ins or guests</u>. <u>Must</u> <u>be 21 or older</u>. Doors will <u>open no earlier</u> than 5:30pm!! You must be a 2021-22 member <u>prior</u> to attending.

The party alone is worth the price of the entire year's membership dues! For more information, check out page 2 and page 3.



See you at the Kickoff Party!



2021-22 Membership Drive:

Our **2021-22 Membership Drive** is now under way. You can renew your membership (which includes admission to November 13th Kickoff Party) for November 1, 2021 to October 31, 2022. Membership forms are available online on our website <u>www.johnstownskiclub.com</u> and in this newsletter on pages 5-6.

<u>No applications</u> will be accepted at the Kick-Off Party!

Membership fee is <u>still a great value of \$30</u> (that is only \$2.50 a month!) with age requirement of 21 years or older. Mail in your completed <u>two</u> page application to Greater Johnstown Athletic Ski Club, P.O. Box 937, Johnstown, PA 15907. Make check payable to "Johnstown Ski Club".

Tell your friends who may have been interested in joining our club! If you refer three new people to join the club and they do, your membership is FREE. They must write your name on their application in the 'Referred by section.

Saturday, November 6, Noon-4pm <u>Willi's Ski Swap</u> at Seven Springs



Are you looking to buy some new gear for kids and adults? Are you looking to sell some of your old ski gear? Turn your old gear into cash. This is the largest swap in the region! Come early for the best deals. You will need to fill out their <u>Ski and Snowboard Swap</u> <u>Form</u>. Check out their web site for the full info: <u>https://www.willisskiandboard.com</u>

Items can be dropped off in advance at any fullservice Willi's location from by Wednesday, November 3rd or the day of the swap on November 6, 9am-11am. **The sale is from noon to 4pm** at the Ski Lodge at Seven Springs. Payments and unsold items may be picked up from November 6-21 at the location where they were dropped off.

Saturday, November 13 at 6-10 pm <u>43rd Annual Kick -Off Party</u> at Aces RSVP on or before Sunday, November 7

SAVE THIS DATE! If you come to only one club event this upcoming year, *this is it*! The Johnstown Ski Club's 43rd Annual Kick-Off Party is the biggest bash of the year! Hopefully, you already have your calendars marked for Saturday, November 13 at 6pm for this event. The Party will be at Ace's in Johnstown's Cambria City Section. With your new 2021-22 membership, join club members for a fun time with food, music by The Desperadoes, dancing, and basket raffles. Cash bar. The party alone is worth the price of the entire year's membership dues!

** You must be a 2021-22 Member to attend! <u>Mail</u> in your application <u>NOW</u> ** ** You must sign-up on Eventbrite.com to RSVP !!!! Sorry, no walk-ins or guests allowed.

Please refer to the right column on page 4 for instructions on how to sign up for the Party using the Eventbrite website. RSVP is a MUST (Repeat MUST) !

Any cancellations for the Party must be provided by November 6th to avoid a charge.

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43rd ANNUAL KICK-OFF



PARTY



Saturday, November 13th at Ace's from 6-10 PM.

Eventbrite RSVP due on for before Sunday, November 7th

MUST BE A 2021-22 MEMBER to ATTEND! No guests or walk-ins!

To sign up/register for the Kick-Off Party, please follow these quick and easy steps!

- 1. Go to web site: https://www.eventbrite.com.
- 2. At the top left corner in 'search events', type in Johnstown Ski. Press the "Enter" key.
- 3. The "Johnstown Ski Club Annual Kick Off Party" will appear. Click on the event.
- 4. On the next page, you will see a green Bar with "Register". Click on Register.
- 5. From the drop down menu, choose the number of tickets for the number of people who will be attending. (Example: John and Mary Doe, you will choose "2")
- 6. Click on red "Checkout",
- 7. Complete the information for EACH ticket that registered.
- 8. Click on "**Register**" tab at the bottom of the page.
- 9. You now have registered and will receive your ticket/tickets via your e-mail address.
- 10. Print your ticket and bring it to the Party.
- 11. If you cannot attend the Kick-Off Party, please cancel ASAP by contacting Bob Snoby at 814-539-3490.

November 25



Have a blessed and thankful holiday!

Thursday, December 9, at 7-10pm **Christmas Social** at Anthony's

SAVE HE DATE PARTY ON

RSVP on or before Wednesday, December 1

Mark your calendar for Thursday, December 9 at 7pm! This is the date for our Annual Christmas Social. You must purchase a ticket to attend prior to the party. Ticket cost \$10 per person. Starting Sunday, November 14, call VP Annette Kamzik at 814.536.7325 to buy a ticket. Last day is Dec 1. Make checks payable to "Johnstown Ski Club" and send to PO Box 937, Johnstown PA 15907. She will mail or give you a ticket. No tickets will be sold at the door. There will be no walk-ins at the door.

Cash bar. Our Social will be held upstairs in the ballroom at Anthony's restaurant at 725 Scalp Ave in Richland. Doors will not open until 6:30pm (please be mindful on this time). It is a great time to get together with your club friends before the holidays.

We will have our big 50/50 and raffle baskets. Again this year, we will also be taking monetary donations for the Salvation Army

Skiing out West or New England this year?



Since some Western resorts lift tickets can cost up to \$200, there are now four different ski passes that could save you money. Check out IKON Pass, Epic Pass (currently with 20% discount), Mountain Collective Pass, and Indy Pass which allows you to ski at a selective ski resorts throughout US and Canada this ski season. All have a different group of resorts, different rules and special benefits. You can compare all the passes info at https://www.onthesnow.com/news/lift-passes/

Congrats to:



Judy Crookston...her Norman Rockwell photo was featured in the Merited page of October issue of Professional Photographer Magazine.

Phil Sutton... was awarded Ebensburg's Rotarian of the Year and is spearheading a Dog Park Project in Ebensburg.

And a Good Time was had by All ...

Adopt-a-Highway (Eisenhower Blvd) on Saturday, September 25:

A BIG Thanks to our civic duty club members, Marsha Balint, John Campos, Chris Cooper, Lynne Dougherty, Annette Kamzik, Andrea Nosko, Amy Rosenbaum, and Barbara Visnovsky who joined group leader Dan Gaydos on a beautiful day in participating in our Ski Club's 29th annual fall highway clean-up. Along with the garbage, we did find a few coins. And we enjoyed our Pizza lunch afterwards at Pappy's!

And also thanks to Lynne Dougherty for her assistance with Penn DOT. *See everyone next Spring!!*Thanks to club member Dan Gaydos for once again chairing this very important club community service project.

Golf Outing at Berkley Hills Golf Course on Sunday, October 3:

It was a very nice day to golf for our eleven golfers. Winning golfing team were **Conrad Sikirica**, **Steve McGee**, **Bob Snoby, and Joanne Urban**. [*Rumor has it, the game was played under protest* (**Lary Koval**?)]. Closest to pin was **Shawn Shearer** and longest punt was **Randy Lear**. Everyone was given golf balls afterwards.

... Thanks to club officer Conrad Sikirica for organizing our October golf outing. Hope to see our golfers in the Spring!

Club Mixer at Dively's Tavern on Tuesday, October 19:

"We love it when a plan comes together" and this was it! Owner Lee opened up his establishment on Tuesday just for us. Fifty-five members loved our private mixer at Dively's. His "ski club" menu was great and the service was excellent. Many of us have not been at Dively's since they remodeled so this was a great time to check out the place. It was a great evening to kick back and mingle with everyone. **Anne Franze** was <u>very very</u> lucky that night (*didn't she win last month*??)

Did You Know ??

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Baskets:

... We are planning to have a Basket Raffle at the Christmas Social (Dec 9). If anyone is interested in donating a basket for this event, please call VP Annette Kamzik at 814.536.7325.

Thanks for your help!

Welcome to our new members...

- Ken Bristor, Rose Bristor Marian Dunegan Ben Emeigh Vicky Emeigh Barbara Golgosky
- Rita King Connor McGhee Deborah Orris Pam Spangler Ron Spangler

Hope to see you at our next function!

In Sympathy...

Our deepest sympathy is extended to:



Club member Linda Mauzy on the passing of her brother.

Club member **Connie Katawczik** on the passing of her mother.

Club members **Mark and Sue Lee** on the passing of his mother.

Congratulations to ...

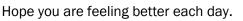
Club member Linda Lear.

...who had 3 new members listing her as referrals on her applications. Thus Linda received her 2021-22 membership for free. *Way to go!*

Get Well Soon...

Club members Vivian Transue...









GREATER JOHNSTOWN ATHLETIC SKI CLUB PO BOX 937, JOHNSTOWN, PA 15907

www.johnstownskiclub.com

2021-2022 Membership Application – Annual Membership Fee \$30.00

MUST BE 21 AND OVER!

Check one box:

Renewal

New Member: Referred by_

Please complete only if you are a new member.

IMPORTANT: Monthly club newsletter will be sent via E-mail:

E-MAIL ADDRESS_

[E-mail address MUST be legible.]

PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY!

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Membership Fee - \$30.00	Check #	Date Received	
	Cash	Date Received	New Card #

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Release and Waiver of Liability and Indemnity Agreement to The Greater Johnstown Athletic Ski Club, Incorporated

Name:	D.O.B	Phone:
Address:		

I, the above named individual, being 21 years of age or older, in consideration of services which have been or will be performed by the Greater Johnstown Athletic Ski Club, in providing travel arrangements and activities, and of being permitted to participate in the club trips, activities, events and other functions which I recognize as being hazardous, do for myself, my personal representatives and next of kin:

(1) hereby release, waive, discharge and covenant not to sue or hold liable the Greater Johnstown Athletic Ski Club, its officers, directors and trustees, all for the purposes herein referred to as Releases, from all loss or damage, and any other claims or demands, therefore, on account of injury to the person or property, or resulting in death, whether caused by the negligence of Releases, or otherwise while for any purpose participating in any event or activity: and (2) hereby agree to indemnify and save and hold harmless the Releases from any loss, liability, damage, or cost they may incur due to my presence and or participation during any activity and whether caused by the negligence of Releases or otherwise; and (3) hereby assume full responsibility for any risk of bodily damage, death or property damage due to negligence of Releases or otherwise while traveling, participating or for any other purpose while engaged in such activities. I expressly agree that the foregoing Release, Waiver and Indemnity Agreement is intended to be as broad and inclusive as is permitted by the laws of the state, states and counties in which the activity is conducted and that if any person thereof is held invalid, it is agreed that the balance of the agreement shall continue in full legal force and effect.

I have read and voluntarily signed the Release and Waiver of Liability and Indemnity Agreement which shall remain in full legal force and effect until such time I notify the Greater Johnstown Athletic Ski Club in writing that this agreement is voided.

Signature_

Date_____

(Only <u>ONE</u> signature per application)



P.O. Box 937 Johnstown, PA 15907 www.johnstownskiclub.com

DATE:

TO: Johnstown Ski Club Supporters and Friends

FROM:

Phone: ______ or e-mail ______

RE: DONATION REQUEST for 2021-2022 Johnstown Ski Club's 43rd Season Kick-Off

The Greater Johnstown Athletic Ski Club will kick off the 2021-22 ski season with a banquet at the Ace's Lounge in Cambria City section of Johnstown on Saturday, November 13, 2021. The evening will feature dinner, beverages, dancing to live music, 50/50 and basket raffles. Cash Bar.

Yes, that is correct – 43 years! We have to be one of the largest non-profit member organizations in the Greater Johnstown Area. Even during the pandemic last year we had over **180** members. We are your patrons, customers, nurses, teachers, technicians, service workers, business partners, ski instructors and patrollers, neighbors, friends and most of all residents of the Greater Johnstown area.

We realize that you get numerous requests for donations, and it must be hard for you to decide. Please know that we greatly appreciate your willingness to lend your support to our club.

In order to make this, the largest event of the Ski Club year a success, <u>we are asking your support in the form of</u> <u>a prize donation(s</u>).

<u>To donate a door prize</u>,

- Please mail to the address listed above or call the representative listed.
- Your representative will arrange to pick up your donation for the Club if necessary.
- An official receipt will be sent following the Kick-Off Party.
- In return for your generous donation(s), you and your business will be listed as supporters of our club on our Facebook page, on our website, and in our monthly newsletter sent via e-mail.
- We will acknowledge businesses during the banquet while the baskets are handed out.
- The club makes every effort to patronize our prize donors throughout the year.

The Greater Johnstown Athletic Ski Club is a non-profit organization, active in the community through fund raising and drives for The Salvation Army, Cambria County Humane Society, St. Mark's Pet Pantry, Franklin St. United Methodist Clothing Drive and the Nardecchia Spay/Neuter Fund. We are also a 30-year participant in the PA Adopt-A-Highway Program.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT!

Bob Snoby, President Greater Johnstown Athletic Ski Club